

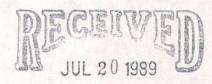
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Tenneco Minerals

Gold Strike Phase 2 Final Inspection



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July 17, 1989

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Director

Dear Mr. Kluksdahl:

As a result of the final inspection conducted by Mr. Charlie Dietz of my staff with yourself on 5 July 1989. We hereby <u>authorize</u> the <u>use</u> of the <u>portion of</u> the <u>Phase 2 pad</u> which is <u>completed</u> subject to the following conditions:

a. The wasterock or ore bearing sulfides must not be mined until the issue of potential pollution from such material is resolved.

Re:

- b. Construction permit conditions outlined in our 15 June 1989 letter which pertain to inspections must be complied with for the remaining portion of the Phase 2 Pad.
- c. The remainder of the Phase 2 heap leach pad construction must not begin until the Bureau has been advised in writing.
- d. Acceptable construction quality assurance documentation and certification by the inspector must be submitted in writing within thirty (30) days.
- e. The surface runoff diversion berm shall be completed on the uphill east corner of the Phase 2 pad which has been completed todate within thirty (30) days from receipt of this letter.

We appreciate the courtesy and assistance given to Mr. Dietz during his inspection.

Please call if there are any concerns.

Sincerely,

Utah Water Pollution Control Committee

Don A. Ostler, P.E. Executive Secretary

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cc: Wayne Thomas, Southwest District Health Engineer
Bill Dawson, Southwest District Health Department
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